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Applicant:	David L. Thompson	Docket:	P10309.00
Serial No.:	10/087,949	Group Art:	3731
Filed:	February 28, 2002	Examiner:	Unknown
Title:	System and Method of Positioning Implantable Medical Devices		

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with C.F.R. §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the materials enclosed herewith are brought to the attention of the Examiner as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application.

Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. §609, Applicant further requests that a copy of the Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

As these materials are being submitted before the mailing of a first office action, it is believed that no additional fees are due in connection with this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE ISSUED	INVENTOR NAME	U.S. CLASS	U.S. SUB- CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	6,190,353	02/20/2001				
	AB	6,178,346	01/23/2001				

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

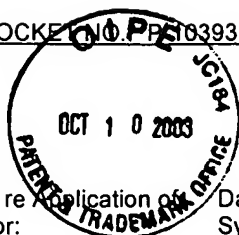
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	AC	WO9846123	10/22/1998					

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: I hereby certify that this SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT and the paper(s), as described herein, are being deposited in the U.S. Postal Service, as first class mail, addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 8th day of October, 2003.

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Kathleen M. Altman

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- ☒ PTO FORM 1449
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- ☒ \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b) (before mailing of first Office Action)
- ☐ \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) with Certification (cited in foreign application not more than 3 months earlier)
- ☐ \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(e) with Certification
- ☐ \$180.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) without Certification
- ☐ \$180.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(d) with Certification

- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions for a _____ months' extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider _____ this petition therefor.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed.

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